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# Pennsylvania Broilers

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## Pennsylvania Broiler Placements Up Less Than 1 Percent from the Previous Week

**Pennsylvania:** Broiler chicks placed in the Commonwealth during the week ending June 17, 2000, were 2,747,000, up less than 1 percent from the previous week and 1 percent more than the corresponding week a year earlier. Placements during the past 9 weeks were up less than 1 percent from one year ago. Settings for broiler chicks were 3,535,000, down 4 percent from the previous week and 2 percent less than the same week a year ago. The current 3-week total of eggs set is 4 percent below the comparable period last year.

**Fifteen States:** Broiler chicks placed in the 15 selected States were 148,473,000, down slightly from the previous week and the corresponding week a year earlier.

Placements during the past 9 weeks were 2 percent above one year ago. Settings for broiler chicks were 183,023,000, down 1 percent from the previous week and down less than 1 percent from the same week a year ago. The current 3-week total of eggs set is up less 1 percent from the comparable period last year.

**Expected Marketings:** Expected marketings, based on placements 7-9 weeks earlier, less mortality allowance, in Pennsylvania for the week ending August 12, 2000, will be 2,660,000, up slightly from a year earlier. The 15 States expected marketings should total 144,660,000, up 1 percent from the previous year.

### Broilers Placed, Eggs Set, Expected Marketings

Period Covered	Pennsylvania			15 States		
	Number (000)	Percent		Number (000)	Percent	
		Previous Week	Year Earlier		Previous Week	Year Earlier
Broilers Placed						
Past Week . . . .	2,747	100	101	148,473	100	100
Past 9 Weeks . .	24,881	-	100	1,345,474	-	102
Eggs Set						
Past Week . . . .	3,535	96	98	183,023	99	100
Past 3 Weeks . .	10,991	-	96	555,167	-	100
Expected Marketings						
Week Ending:						
Aug. 12, 2000	2,660	-	100	144,660	-	101

**Poultry Slaughter:** Broiler-fryers slaughtered in Pennsylvania under Federal Inspection during the week ending June 10, 2000, totaled 1,586,000 head with an average live weight of 5.20 pounds.

## Broiler Eggs Set, 15 Selected States

State	Week Ending					
	May 13	May 20	May 27	Jun 3	Jun 10	Jun 17
	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000
Thousand						
AL	28,950	29,085	*28,992	29,161	29,191	28,881
AR	31,064	31,033	*30,978	30,846	30,645	30,644
DE	4,400	4,495	4,421	4,362	4,182	4,408
FL	2,883	2,871	2,877	2,894	2,895	2,814
GA	32,052	32,287	31,994	32,115	32,006	31,082
MD	8,521	8,464	8,396	8,756	*9,043	8,325
MS	18,539	18,802	18,930	18,710	18,232	18,217
NC	18,460	18,379	18,324	18,491	18,632	18,485
PA	3,714	3,662	3,669	3,777	*3,679	3,535
SC	4,656	4,944	4,927	4,899	4,958	4,672
TX	14,891	14,442	14,212	14,451	14,420	14,389
VA	6,613	6,578	*6,581	*6,760	*6,545	6,537
CA, TN, & WV	11,341	11,427	11,664	11,332	11,162	11,034
15 State Total:	186,084	186,469	*185,965	*186,554	*185,590	183,023
Previous Year	184,285	183,489	184,615	183,766	185,387	183,331
Pct. of Prev.	101	102	101	102	100	100

\* Revised.

## Broiler Chicks Placed, 15 Selected States

State	Week Ending					
	May 13	May 20	May 27	Jun 3	Jun 10	Jun 17
	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000
Thousand						
AL	21,630	21,926	21,198	21,808	21,345	21,826
AR	24,716	25,011	23,389	24,562	24,940	24,286
DE	5,703	4,893	4,508	4,833	4,842	4,914
FL	2,489	2,349	2,263	2,478	2,445	2,184
GA	24,625	25,599	24,817	26,144	*25,733	25,584
MD	5,686	5,967	6,358	5,936	5,960	5,909
MS	14,990	15,047	15,490	15,681	15,803	15,916
NC	14,958	14,830	14,523	14,628	14,258	14,662
PA	2,850	2,707	2,722	2,739	*2,741	2,747
SC	4,537	4,162	3,962	3,742	4,160	3,818
TX	11,772	11,924	11,935	11,587	11,242	10,659
VA	5,446	5,292	*5,558	*5,534	*5,664	5,355
CA, TN, & WV	10,610	*10,448	*11,318	*10,049	*10,076	10,613
15 State Total:	150,012	*150,155	*148,041	*149,721	*149,209	148,473
Previous Year	147,285	146,675	146,474	147,860	146,905	148,570
Pct. of Prev.	102	102	101	101	102	100

\* Revised.